

IN THE TITLE

On the first page, please replace the current title with the following title:

FLUID EJECTION DEVICE WITH STAGGERED INK DROP GENERATORS

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Under the heading entitled "FIELD OF THE INVENTION" please replace the first full paragraph on page 1 (the entire Field of the Invention) with the following paragraph:

C¹ The present invention relates to a fluid ejection device with staggered ink drop generators.

Under the heading entitled "SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION" please replace from the second full paragraph on page 3 to the last full paragraph on page 5 (the entire summary) with the following paragraph:

C² The present invention includes as one embodiment a fluid ejection device coupled to an ink supply and having multiple printing modes, including a sufficient number of ink drop generators fluidically coupled to the ink supply device and formed in the fluid ejection device and arranged along at least three axes that are substantially parallel and spaced apart from each other to provide printing resolution of at least 600 dots per inch with each printing mode. The plurality of ink drop generators is arranged along four axes that are substantially parallel and spaced transverse to each other and wherein the plurality of ink drop generators arranged along the four axes are staggered with respect to each of the axes to decrease an effective pitch of the fluid ejection device to approximately one-fourth that of a plurality of ink drop generators arranged along a single axis.

IN THE ABSTRACT

Please replace the Abstract of the Disclosure on page 23 with the attached new Abstract of the Disclosure.